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International application No. PCT/KR 2004/003160	(Earliest) Priority Date (<i>day/month/year</i>) 2 December 2003 (02.12.2003)	International filing date (<i>day/month/year</i>) 2 December 2004 (02.12.2004)
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b. With regard to any nucleotide and/or amino acid sequence disclosed in the international application, see continuation of this first sheet.

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Unity of invention is lacking (see continuation of this first sheet)

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b. none of the figures is to be published with the abstract.

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A. CLASSIFICATION OF SUBJECT MATTER

IPC⁷: H04Q 7/30, 7/32, 7/00

According to International Patent Classification (IPC) or to both national classification and IPC

B. FIELDS SEARCHED

Minimum documentation searched (classification system followed by classification symbols)

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C. DOCUMENTS CONSIDERED TO BE RELEVANT

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